



JUNE 22-23, 2024

# HIGHLIGHTS

WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES: 5 p.m. on Saturday. 8 a.m., 10:45 a.m. on Sunday.

## WELCOME HOME

On behalf of Pastors Golter and Schilling, Trinity Lutheran would like to welcome you home—to God’s House. If you would like to learn more about Trinity, please include any questions you might have on your attendance card which can be found in the church pews. Attendance cards can be placed at the end of each pew or placed in the offering plate during the worship service. We would love to hear from you—and welcome the opportunity to connect with you.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

If you are in need of prayers, please fill out the green Prayer Card located in the church pew racks. Cards can be placed in the offering plate. If you would like to meet with one of our pastors, contact the church office (563-323-8001) to set up an appointment.

## LIVE-STREAMS

Trinity live-streams its 8 a.m. Sunday worship service. You can watch the live-stream by going to YouTube and searching Trinity Lutheran Davenport Iowa. Our Trinity School chapel service also is live-streamed on Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. Just go to YouTube.com and search Trinity Lutheran Davenport Iowa.

## FOLLOW US

Stay up to date with all things Trinity—including all the updates to our campus — by following us on Facebook ([facebook.com/trinitydavenportia](https://facebook.com/trinitydavenportia)). If you would like to join our email communication list, contact Tim Leibold at [timothy.leibold@trinitydavenport.org](mailto:timothy.leibold@trinitydavenport.org).

## SOUND OF MUSIC

Hey, hey, hey can you hear our jungle jam – hey, hey, hey it began with the Great I am.

Yes, Trinity hosted its Vacation Bible School this past week. And, yes, the catchy songs still seem to be cycling through everyone’s brain.

The VBS message was loud and clear – not only for those who volunteered or were in the building during the week-long event – but for the more than 130 students who attended.

“The kids have been singing them all day – in the classrooms and in the hallways, and even at home,” shared Emily Merritt, who leads Trinity’s summer Shining Stars program.

Students were equipped – through God’s Word – to answer the tough questions: Did God create everything? Why do bad things happen? Can I trust the Bible?

“I really enjoyed the lessons each day,” one VBS student shared. “It helped me get to know who God really is.”

So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ (Romans 10-17).

There are more opportunities – for all ages - to get to know God, both near and far.

Trinity will be having children’s summer Sunday school, Bible studies, summer educational classes.

Trinity’s High School Youth will be serving off the grid in Colorado next month. Trinity School will welcome more than 400 students in August. Members of Trinity’s congregation will be visiting the Dominican Republic this fall.

## VOTERS MEETING

Trinity will be having its annual voters meeting on June 23 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The purpose of the meeting is to approve the upcoming plan for ministry, elect new members to Trinity’s Board of Directors, and to continue to push forward with our Let’s Go On mission and vision.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

EVENT	DAY/TIME	PLACE
Luther Theology class	Monday-Wednesday	
Lectionary Bible study	Tues./6:30 p.m.	
Prayer Team	Wed./9 a.m.	Church Library
High School Youth	Wed./8 p.m.	Youth Room
Board of Directors	Thurs./6:30 p.m.	Church Library

## FLOWERS

Last weekend's flowers were given by Sue Schocker in loving memory of her dad, Robert Faulkner, Sr., on Father's Day and in honor of his birthday.

## SUMMER LEARNING

Two events being planned for this summer at Trinity include a class led by Dr. Cameron MacKenzie, focusing on Luther's Theology in Today's World. The class will be June 24-26. Contact Pastor Golter for more details. Trinity also will be hosting a Doxology Conference on Aug. 9-10. Rev. Tim Pauls will be presenting on "In Defense of the Family." You can sign up for the conference at [trinitydavenport.org](http://trinitydavenport.org).

## BIBLE STUDY UPDATE

Pastor Schilling's Bible study and the Stress Bible study have been completed. Pastor Golter's Sunday morning Bible study will continue throughout the summer. Children's summer Sunday School will be meeting on June 23, June 30, July 14, July 28 and August 4. Children in 4-year-old preschool-sixth grade wanting to attend Sunday School should meet at 9:30 a.m. in the gym. Trinity's Tuesday morning women's study won't meet until July 23, while the midweek Wednesday study will next meet on July 17.

## TRINITY SCHOOL IS HIRING

Trinity is seeking applicants to serve as kindergarten paraprofessionals. The work schedule would be Monday-Friday from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Contact Ms. Jensen at [deje.jensen@trinitydavenport.org](mailto:deje.jensen@trinitydavenport.org) if you are interested.

## STAFFING UPDATE

Trinity is excited to share that Beth Williams will be the school's new fifth-grade teacher beginning this fall. Beth has seven years of teaching experience, and has degrees in Child and Family Service and Early Childhood/Special Education. She also has a master's degree in curriculum and instruction. Also new to Trinity's staff are: Jason Specht (PE/Athletic Director), Lexi Long (second-grade teacher), Lori Ralfs (fourth-grade teacher), Susan Goehmann (middle school math teacher).

## TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH UPDATE

Trinity's High School Youth is gearing up for its summer mission trip to Colorado. Members of the Youth attending the trip in July will be cleaning up trails and camp spaces off the grid. Please keep this group—20 students and five adults—in your prayers.

## ONLINE GIVING



Did you know that Trinity Lutheran has a safe and secure way to give online? While in camera mode, scan your electronic device over the QR code, and it will take you to Trinity's online giving page.

## WORSHIP SERVICE UPDATE

Trinity will no longer offer its 12:15 p.m. Sunday worship service.

## SUMMER MUSIC

Trinity is seeking volunteers to provide special music during the summer months. This opportunity is open to children and adults. Music can be instrumental solo, vocal solo or a small group. If you are interested, contact Riley Sindt at [riley.sindt@trinitydavenport.org](mailto:riley.sindt@trinitydavenport.org).

## FACILITY UPDATE

Freshness to Trinity's facility is really beginning to show. Windows in the north wing classrooms have been installed. Resurfacing and painting to Trinity's west parking lot is almost finished. This past week, sidewalk repairs were made by the Central Park entrance, while landscaping and interior projects are in progress.

## BOD NOMINATIONS

Individuals nominated for the upcoming Board of Directors elections include: Lisa Lindholm (at-large incumbent), Iris Johnson (at-large incumbent), Bruce Kindig (vice-chairman), Eric Schocker (will become chairman). Bios of each of the candidates will be shared leading up to the annual voters meeting on June 23.

## GENEROSITY MESSAGE

Mark 4:40 – "He said to them, 'Why are you so afraid? Have you still no faith?'" Faith means trust. If we trust the Lord, what do we have to be afraid of? Isn't it fear that holds us back in our stewardship? Isn't it fear that stops us from following the Lord's Word to give generously.

## WEEKLY BACH CANTATAS

Lutheran Public Radio streams an appointed Bach Cantata uninterrupted at 1 pm and 8 p.m. Central on Sundays. This week's cantata will be BWV 24 "An Untainted Disposition." You can listen at [lutheranpublicradio.org](http://lutheranpublicradio.org), Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn and on the LPR mobile app.

## SPREAD THE WORD

Trinity School still has openings for the 2024-25 school year. If you know of anyone that might be interested in learning more about the school, please have them contact the school at 563-322-5224 (ext. 126.)